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RE: Application of Total Environmental Solutions, Inc. for Approval of  
Customer Agreement and Related Responsibilities, Rates and Charges  
**Docket No. 2007-359-WS**  
**ELS File No. 557-11368**

Dear Joseph:

The Parties have agreed to a settlement of all issues in the above-referenced proceeding. We are now drafting and circulating a written agreement memorializing and legally consummating that settlement. We are currently scheduled for a hearing before the Commission on March 27, 2008.

Total Environmental Solutions, Inc. is the only Party that has filed and is scheduled to present testimony. The Parties' settlement will save all Parties the resources necessary to prepare for and attend this hearing. Consequently, I am writing to request a two (2) week postponement of the hearing to give the Commission an opportunity to consider approval of the Parties' settlement. We intend to present a signed version of the settlement agreement to the Commission around the middle of next week.

With kind regards, I am

Yours truly,

  
John F. Beach

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